PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, All of the efforts of man to end death and destruction on the streets and highways in South Dakota will not succeed until each driver realizes the needless toll of death and injury is an abuse of God's most precious gift; and

WHEREAS, While South Dakota has made impressive strides improving the standards and enforcement of its motor vehicle laws, its engineering for highway construction and its driver education and training programs, this advancement will not be adequate until every driver accepts a moral responsibility for his driving conduct; and

WHEREAS, South Dakota clergymen of all faiths have joined in an effort to make every motorist aware of his moral responsibilities when driving an automobile;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT KNOWN THAT I, FRANK L. FARRAR, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby designate May 31 and June 1, 1969, as

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and urge every South Dakotan to join in this united religious campaign to awaken in the conscience and mind of every driver the realization that negligence at the wheel of an automobile is a transgression of God's Command, "Thou Shalt Not Kill". We further urge that every driver keep this Commandment and practice the Golden Rule by extending courtesy on the highway as the most immediate and practical means of averting untimely death.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the State of South Dakota to be affixed this 30th day of April in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and sixty-nine.

Frank L. Farrar

FRANK L. FARRAR, GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

Alma Larson

ALMA LARSON, SECRETARY OF STATE

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